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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

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RONALD A. RILEY,

Plaintiff

v.

MARTIN HORN, et al.,

Defendants

No. 1:00-CV-00485
(Judge Rambo)

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**DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO EXTEND THE
DEADLINE FOR FILING DISPOSITIVE MOTIONS**

Defendants, by their counsel, hereby request the Court to extend the deadline for the filing of dispositive motions in this case for a period of fifteen days until March 15, 2001. In support of this motion, defendants state as follows:

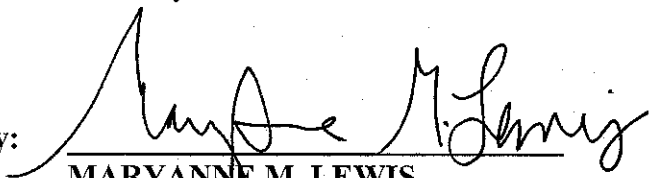
1. Plaintiff filed his complaint on March 14, 2000.
2. On June 12, 2000, defendants filed an answer to the complaint.
3. Discovery in this case closed on January 31, 2001 and all dispositive motions are to be filed on or before February 28, 2001.
4. Undersigned Counsel is currently preparing for a trial in Federal Court in Ortiz v. DOC, et al., No. 3:CV-98-0012. Jury selection is scheduled for February 26, 2001, and the case is on the March 2001 trial list.
5. In addition, counsel for defendants has been preparing and filed a motion for summary judgment and supporting brief in Robins v. Horn, et al., 3:CV-99-1841. Counsel filed the supporting brief on February 21, 2001.

6. No prejudice will befall any party by this extension of limited duration as proposed herein.

WHEREFORE, defendants respectfully request the Court to grant an extension of time to and file dispositive motions on or before March 15, 2001.

Respectfully submitted,

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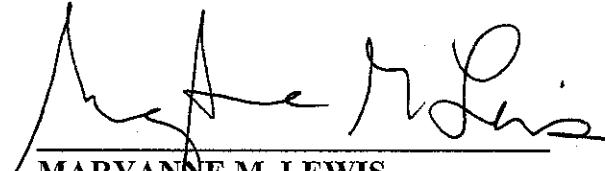
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Maryanne M. Lewis, Deputy Attorney General, hereby certify that on this date I caused to be served the foregoing Defendants' Motion to Extend The Deadline for Filing Dispositive Motions, by depositing a copy of the same in the United States mail, postage prepaid, in Harrisburg, PA., addressed to the following:

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DATE: February 21, 2001